

Amendments

1. (currently amended) A combination liner and shrink wrap packaging comprising a liner wrapped around a plurality of packages and further comprising shrink wrapping around said combination of liner and packages, said liner including at least three panels separated by fold lines at corners, the height of said liner at said corners being the same or different, the height of at least one of said panels at a point intermediate said corners being less than 90% of the height at any of said corners, said liner corners being disposed adjacent and receiving corners of said packages.

2. (cancelled)

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3. (previously amended) The combination liner and shrink wrap packaging of claim 1 wherein the height of the liner is less than 90% of the height of any of said corners for at least 60% of the rectilinear distance between two of said corners.

4. (original) The combination liner and shrink wrap packaging of claim 1 wherein said liner includes at least four transverse fold lines forming said corners.

5. (currently amended) A nestable liner blank comprising at least three side panels separated by at least two transverse fold lines, the height of at least one of said side panels at a point intermediate said fold lines being less than 90% of the height of any ~~transverse-transverse~~ fold line, said liner side panels having a top and a bottom, at least at one of said fold lines, one of said top and bottom of said panels being accommodated in a space between the height of the liner panel at one of said fold lines and the height of the panel at least at one of said points wherein the height of said panel is less than 90% that of the fold line when said blanks are nested.

6. (currently amended) A combination liner and package comprising a liner wrapped around a plurality of ~~packages~~cartons, said liner including at least three panels separated by fold lines at corners, the height of said liner at said corners being the same or different, the height of at least one of said panels at a point intermediate said corners being less than 90% of the height at any of said corners said liner corners being disposed adjacent and receiving corners of said ~~packages~~cartons.

7. (New) The combination liner and package of claim 6 wherein said panels include a top free edge and a bottom free edge.

8. (New) The combination liner and packaging of claim 1, wherein said panels include a top free edge and a bottom free edge.

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